

GIVE ME THE YOUNG MAN WHO HAS BRAINS ENOUGH TO MAKE A FOOL OUT OF HIMSELF.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

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## Bazaar Nets \$750 in Full Day Program

Last Saturday proved to be a fine day for the 5th annual Bazaar which netted approximately \$800 for the Crescent Park School Grounds Improvement and \$150 for year's 4th of July celebration, an approximate total of \$750.

Bethel was defeated by Locke Mills in the afternoon ball game 7-5. The crowd thinned out during the ball game but the rest of the day and evening the booths were well patronized.

The parade was led by Jane Smith, Janet Korhonen, Oakley Godwin and Donald Bennett on their beautiful saddle horses, Paris Band supplied the music, also held a band concert after the parade until 6:30, on the Common.

About 100 children entered the parade, also several grown-ups. The costumes and decorations were better than ever with many new ideas. The outstanding float was the United Nations "Peace for our children" which showed many hours of labor and time put into it.

Winners for the parade were: Doll Carriages—1 Gertrude Waldron; 2 Barbara Bane; 3 Margaret Noyes and Frances Thurston; 4 Louella Boulanger.

Carts—1 Michael Helmo and Donna Grenier; 2 Gregory Glines; 3 Jackie Brooks, Mike Chretien; 4 Judith Freeman, Mary Jane Chapman.

Tricycles—1 Heidi Glines; 2 Richard Wakefield; 3 Paul Vachon; 4 George Angevine.

Costumes—1 Matti Stalauke and Barbara Hutchinson; 2 Dickie and Linda Paine; 3 Craig Paul; 4 Billy Kreskie.

Bicycles—1 Barbara Angevine; 2 Elizabeth Waldron; 3 Ronnie Smiley; 4 Aaron York.

Advertising on Foot—1 Peter York and Gail Bowden "Boost Bethel"; 2 Jerry Freeman, "Coburn's Gardens"; 3 Cindy and Nancy Chaplin, "The Old Golds"; 4 Larry Billings, "Bob's Sport Store".

Flats and Cars—1 United Nations, the Millard Clough grandchildren, and Billy Roberts; 2 Chapin's Service Station; 3 Star Patrol No. 4 Girl Scouts; Special Mention, Hanover Dowel Co.

Judges were Harold L. Warner and Edward L. Swan, both of Bethel, N. Y., and James A. Yease of Oklahoma, guests at the Bethel Inn.

Following the parade the supper called the crowd and over 400 were served a delicious baked bean supper. This was put on by the Men's Brotherhood, Congregational Guild, PTA and Girl Scouts.

A corral was erected on the Common where the Happy Herdmen 4-H Club exhibited the fine animals they are raising this year. This group offered dairy products for sale and did a rushing business throughout the afternoon and evening.

Sen John Carter won the Lions Club ham, which he offered for auction and netted the Bazaar another \$15.

Arthur Herlick won the Bethel Players groceries; Al Grover Jr., the beautiful Afghan from the State of Maine Booth; Mrs Ernest Buck the Lions grocery basket.

The Boy Scouts Street Dance was continued on page eight.

## GOULD ANNOUNCES NEW TEACHERS

When school opens on September 9, two new teachers will be numbered among the faculty of Gould Academy.

Miss Hale of Millinocket, will assume the duties as teacher of French. Miss Hale is a graduate of Millinocket High School and received her Bachelor of Arts degree from Colby College. She is presently continuing her study of the French language in France and will arrive in Bethel early in September. Miss Hale comes to Gould from Easton, Maine, High School.

Miss Phyllis J. Dragonas of Beverly, Mass., has been engaged to teach courses in Spanish and Social Studies. Miss Dragonas is a graduate of Boston University from which she holds the Bachelor of Arts and Master of Education degrees. She has had teaching experience in both Spanish and French in the Beverly, Mass., High School.

## IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Mrs Ethel Silver, Portland, is visiting her daughter, Mrs Patrick Grenier.

Mrs Ruth Dorion and daughter, Sarah, are visiting Mr and Mrs Erlon Paine.

Mrs Josephine Whitman is a surgical patient at Mary Hitchcock Hospital, N. H.

Mrs Roger Foster is a surgical patient at the Osteopathic Hospital in Portland.

Miss Marian Chapman, Portland, was a week end guest of Mr and Mrs Gard Brown.

Miss Katherine Kellogg of Boston is spending two weeks' vacation at Bethel Inn.

Mr and Mrs H R Bean, Constance and John of Old Orchard Beach are visiting relatives in town.

Miss Ruth Donahue and Alan Myette of Newton, Mass., were week end guests at O Donahue's.

Allan Knowles has returned to his home at Traneek, N. J., after visiting his sister, Mrs Grace, Ireland.

Mrs Ava Austin returned Wednesday from a few days visit with Mr and Mrs Charles Austin in Lewiston.

Mr and Mrs Raymond Tripp and family and Mrs Edna Smith are visiting relatives in Connecticut this week.

Mrs John Doble of Milo returned Saturday after spending the past month with her daughter, Mrs Donald Christie.

Mrs Alfredda Edwards who has spent several weeks at Bethel Inn returned to her home in Bethel this Thursday.

Mr and Mrs Addison Saunders and four children returned Sunday from a two-weeks vacation trip to New York State and Canada.

Mrs Winnifred Bartlett, M. and Mrs Charles Epper and family returned Saturday from a three day trip to Spencer Lake Camps.

Patricia Lloyd has returned to her home in Suffield, Conn., after spending the summer with her grandparents, Mr and Mrs Walter H Bond.

Mr and Mrs Hugh Miller, Brownville Junction, and Dr and Mrs Malcolm Case spent the week end with Mr and Mrs Wallace Saunders at Songo Pond.

Mr and Mrs Wallace Coolidge, accompanied by Mr and Mrs Vard Perkins, Andover are spending this week with Mrs Coolidge's uncle, George Glover, Richmond.

Mr and Mrs Harold C Perham returned to West Paris Tuesday. They had attended as lay delegates, the four-day joint national convention of Universalists and Unitarians at Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass.

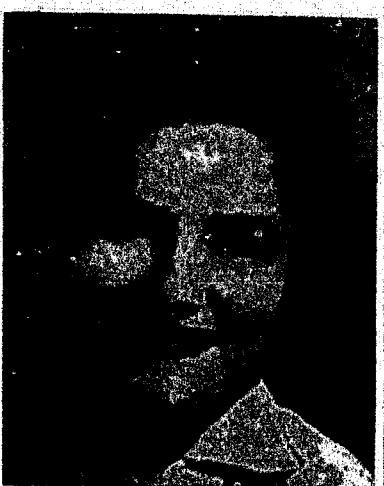
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Miss Nita Hale



Miss Phyllis J. Dragonas

## BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Phillips Rolfe celebrated his third birthday Friday with a party at his home in Kimball Park. He received many nice gifts and refreshments, including a birthday cake, were served. Present were Jimmy and Nancy Young, Kathleen Kiltredge, Wanda Tibbets, Anthony Foy, Maryvonne and Phillip Rolfe, Mrs Harold Rolfe, Mrs Herbert Kiltredge, Mrs Elgin Tibbets, Mrs Homer Tibbets, Mrs Harold Young.

Mrs George Lothrop and Mrs Patrick Grenier entertained at the Lothrop home, Friday afternoon, at an outdoor party in celebration of the seventh birthdays of their daughters, Diane Lothrop and Cheryl Grenier. Diane and Cheryl both received many nice gifts. After a program of games, refreshments, including two birthday cakes, were served. Present were Jo Jo Frouse, Barbara Hutchinson, Donna Breault, Bruce Taylor, Lorraine Eames, Linda Lord, Dennis Wheeler, Eleanor Mills, Grace Haines, Gertrude Waldron, Traiton Foster, Linda Paine, Martha Kenison, Paul Sclaraffa, Louella Belanger, Ronald Lothrop, Dianne Lothrop and Cheryl Grenier.

Miss Mary Anne Myers who is employed at Burlington, Vt., suffered a head cut requiring six stitches in an automobile accident there last week. She returned to her work Tuesday after spending a few days at her home here.

Dr and Mrs Leland Bradford and son David and Dr and Mrs Jack Gibbs returned Sunday to their homes in Washington, D. C., after a two months stay in town.

Mr and Mrs Harold Rolfe, Maryvonne and Phillip, spent a few days last week visiting Mr and Mrs Donald Morrill, Norwalk, Conn., and Genevieve Lemire, Providence, R. I.

Mr and Mrs Roland Crocker and Mrs Hannah Kinnle, Providence, R. I., and Edgar Coolidge and son, Ronald, West Quincy, Mass., were week end guests of Mr and Mrs Wallace Coolidge.

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## Many Attend Gould Alumni Service Here

Generous help of good friends made August 23 a day to be remembered. The reunion service in West Parish Church began at ten o'clock with a half hour of organ music by Edward Hastings of Dorchester, Mass. The church was well filled. Alumni of other classes assisted in the duties of the meeting. Libbie Goodridge Kneeland '20, President of the Alumni Association and Harold Bennett '22, Vice President, greeted guests at the door. Lawrence Kimball '17, Elmer Bennett '19, and Louis Van '20, and Carroll Valentine of 1913, were ushers. Iva Bartlett Hutchinson '29, recorded names of returning graduates.

Rev Hilda Libby Ives, D. D., of Portland, was guest preacher. As always she reached the hearts of her listeners and left a message to carry away for the days to come. She was assisted by Rev Robert Carter of the Bethel Methodist Church and by Rev Charles Pendleton of West Parish Church.

The chorus of men's voices directed by Bryant Bean '38 was an outstanding delight of the day. The anthem "The Lord is My Shepherd" was the favorite hymn of the late Frank E Hanscom who was principle at Gould from 1897 to 1933. It was beautifully sung and memories left many eyes full of tears. The members of the choir were Leroy Titus '06, South Paris; Gilman Whitman, Frank Bean '18, and Bryant Bean '38 of Bryant Pond; John H Carter '06, Charles Freeman '29, Stanley Davis '41, and Norman Greig of Bethel; Roy Lurvey '47 of the U S Navy, who has since started a post in Japan.

The glorious white flowers were a gift from the gardens of Mrs R R Tibbets and of Mrs Robert Kirk of Bethel.

After the service there was an hour of reunion and visiting with old friends.

Alumni noticed at church besides those in the choir were: Grace Brown Swan '37, Charles Valentine '37, William Valentine '38, Affortia Parwell Edwards '32, John Harris '39, Sarah Bryant Knight '32, Edgar Hardy '32, Emma Jones Van '21, Mattie Harris '35, Winifred Hall Bartlett '37, Fannie Capen Carter '38, Mabel Shaw '39, Alice Capen '41, Alice Horne Saunders '41, Carrie Wright '42, Charlie Saunders '43, Philip S Chapman '40, Minnie Wilson '40, Mabel Packard '41, Leila and Marie Davis '41, Ida Packard '41, Annie Newcomb Andrews '42, Earl Farham '42, Hazel Jose '42, Elmon Jordan '42, Jean Taylor Smith '42, Lillian Bean Smith '42, Olive Wardwell Spiny '42, Gladys Bartlett Tyler '42, Urban Bartlett '43, Eva Bean '43, Sylvia Swan Conroy '43, Arthur Cummings '43, Allen Kimball Pales '43, Ella Garey Grover '43, Norman Hamlin '43, Edith Kimball Howe '43, Alta Cummings Meserve '43, Viola Bartlett Morrill '43, Ruth Farrington Ring '43, Charles Tuell '43, Leroy Hamlin '44, Elbet Cole Cummings '45, Florence Chapman Bean '46, Lawrence Kimball '47, Myrtle Wilson Lapham '49, Elmer Bennett '49, Doris Ordway Lord '20, Libbie Goodridge Kneeland '20, Louis Van '20, Harold Bennett '22, Ruth Hastings Chapman '24, Eugenia Harrison '26, Maxine Clough Brown '28, Iva Bartlett Hutchinson '29, Eleanor Lyon Bean '32, Katherine Carter Johnston '32, Norma Rolfe Jodrey '34, Elizabeth Lyon Bane '38, Patricia Ring Zaworski '46, Nancy Van '41, Lillian Guernsey '43.

At 12:45 a turkey dinner was served on the church lawn by Francis Mills and Jean Taylor Smith of 1912, Viola Bartlett Morrill and Ruth Farrington Ring of Continued on Page Five

**FOOD SALE**  
Sponsored by Sunset Robeash Lodge  
SAT., AUG. 29 at 2 P. M.  
Odd Fellows Dining Room

**Baked Bean Supper**  
ALDER RIVER ORANGE HALL  
East Bethel  
SAT., AUG. 29 6:30 p. m.  
50c ADULTS 25c CHILDREN

**FOR SALE—WAX BEANS**  
\$1 per bushel  
Pick Them Yourself  
**EARL GRAVES**  
West Bethel Phone 22-14

## MRS. SAMANTHA JODREY

The passing of Samantha Jodrey, daughter of Sarah Jordan and Moses L Mason, and widow of Henry Sidney Jodrey, on August 22, brought deep sadness to all those who knew and loved her.

She was born in Pettie's Mills, eighty-five years ago. The greater part of her life was spent in Bethel where she gave untiring and ceaseless tenderness and devotion to her many friends and loved ones.

She had been confined to her room for two years, but her cheerfulness, patience and unbounded faith in the goodness of God, served as an inspiration to all who came in contact with her.

She is survived by a sister, eight daughters: Mrs Frank Hale of Bethel, Mrs Harry Levy of Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs Leo Kelley of Brooklyn, N. S., Mrs Warren Greene and Mrs Andrew Squizzaro of Arlington, Mass., Mrs John Thorne of Norwich, Conn., Mrs Myron Bryant of Bethel, and Mrs Ralph Hood of Berlin, N. H.; 15 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Greenleaf funeral home. She was laid to rest in Riverside Cemetery among a profusion of flowers which attested to the love and esteem in which she was held.

## BROWNIE SCOUT PLANNING MEETING TO BE HELD AUG. 31

A meeting will be held at the Community Room Monday August 31, at 7 o'clock, to make plans for getting the Brownie Scout program underway with the beginning of the school year.

Special attention will be given to organizing the new troop for second grade girls.

Besides the leaders and troop committee members, all interested in helping in any way with the program are urged to attend.

A special invitation is extended to mothers of second, third and fourth grade girls.

## SMITH REUNION

The descendants of Jonathan and Tryphene Smith held a family reunion at Mr and Mrs Chester Chapman's last Sunday. Present were: Mr and Mrs Herbert Eaman, Clair, Carole and Clayton, Mr and Mrs Charles Comerit, guests, Mr and Mrs Earle S Eaman, Mrs Earlene Hodison Rumford, Mrs Leon Eaman, Mrs Walter Vail (guest), Newry, Terry and Vance, Greenwood, Milan N H, Mr and Mrs Emory Hamilton, Portland, Mr and Mrs Frank Duggin, Boston, Mr and Mrs Raymond Tripp, Raymond, Jr., Don Parker, Edna Smith, Bethel, Patricia Cary, Bryant Pond, Mr and Mrs Lee Swan, Janis Randy and Anita East Bethel, Mr and Mrs Clarence Coffin, North Paris, B Freeborn Smith, Mr and Mrs Everett Smith, Turner Center, Mrs Della Smith and guests, Mr and Mrs Ellsworth Stuart, Wyatt, Frances Gorham, Maine, Oldest member present, Della Smith, age 90, youngest, Anita Swan, aged four months.

Miss Barbara Cole has returned home from her work at a Howard Johnson restaurant at Burlington, Vt.

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**G. L. Kneeland, D. O.**  
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Hours: 10 a.m.—12 m.; 2-4, 6-8 p.m.  
Except Thursday Afternoons and Sundays  
Tel. 91

**A Change at Hanover**  
There have been many changes in the country these past twelve months. Somewhat of less importance than the one in Washington last November is the sale of the Russell Store in Hanover. Mr. and Mrs. Russell are to retire after serving the community for many years. These good people will be greatly missed. They have always endeavored to give you, their customers and friends, the finest quality merchandise at the lowest possible prices. We, the new owners, pledge ourselves to continue this policy of fair dealing and will do our utmost to please the people of this community.

**Henry, Hazel and Gordon Howe**

## Bethel School Plan for Year Explained

In order that some of the confusion of the first day of school may be prevented the following announcement is being made.

### Bethel Elementary Schools:

Crescent Park—Grade 8, Mrs Lurvey, pupils with name beginning with A through H, except Gilead pupils. Grade 8, Mr Chapman, the remainder plus Gilead pupils.

Grade 7, Mrs Lord, those in Miss Varner's room last year. Grade 7, Mrs Kneeland, those in Mrs Lord's room last year.

Grade 6, Miss Varner—Corey to end of alphabet.

Grade 5 and 6, Mrs Gunther—Grade 5, A through Coolidge. Grade 6, A through C except those from West Bethel.

Grade 5, Mrs Hastings, D through Y plus those who were at West Bethel last year.

Grade 4, Mrs Ring, those who went to Mrs Howe last year.

Primary School—Grade 4, Miss Ballard, pupils from West, East, and South Bethel, plus those who were in Mrs Ring's room last year.

Grade 3, Mrs Howe.

Grade 2, Mrs Wheeler, Eames to Z.

Grade 2 and 1, Mrs Adams, Grade 2, A through D, Grade 1, A to H except those in Mrs Adams' room last year.

Grade 1, Mrs Van, H through Z plus those who were in Mrs Adams' room last year.

(The few exceptions to the above, such as placement of repeaters, etc., will be taken care of through information to the teachers.)

Junior Primary, Mrs Blace.

All pupils entering the Village Primary School will come at 8:30 A. M. on Wednesday, Sept. 9. No definite decision will be made on division of pupils for morning and afternoon sessions until the number of beginners is known. Those who haven't previously registered should present birth certificates upon so doing.

The three Bethel rural primary schools will enroll beginners through grade three.

So far as can now be ascertained conveyance schedules will be about the same as last year.

**Baseball**  
**THURSTON FIELD**  
WED., SEPT. 2, 6 P. M.  
Bethel A. C.  
vs.  
Andover

8 a. m.—OPEN—12 p. m.  
**JORDAN'S**  
Locke Mills

**GENERAL STORE**  
GROCERIES PURE ICE

I Have Just Received a New Supply of School Equipment

Things Every Boy and Girl Needs  
Pencils—Note Books—Pencil Boxes  
Dinner Pails with Thermos Bottles

Come In and Look Around

## The Week in Oxford County

Gov Cross announced that a large factory will be erected in South Paris. The A C Lawrence Leather Co. of Peabody, Mass., has bought the idle South Paris tannery. It is expected the old buildings will be torn down and a new ultra-modern plant will be erected.

Three Oxford County men, Wade Hapgood, South Paris; Irving Lacey, South Paris; Ellis Ellingwood, West Paris, are among those serving on committees to plan a drive to have discarded ice boxes safely disposed of. The program was prompted following the death of a number of children in abandoned ice chests recently.

Oxford County had eight representatives at the Three Quarter Century Club Convention in Lewiston, Friday. Those attending were: Mrs Elmer Parson, 80, West Paris; Catherine Silver, 76, Rumford Center; Cora Howe, 84, Rumford Center; Mrs Flora Henry 79, Mexico; G E Stanhope, 83, Rumford; Mathew McLeod, 85, Middleville; John Rowe, 84, Rumford, and Louis Glover, 83, Rumford.

State Senator Carleton B Fuller of Buckfield has been named to the Maine School Building Authority.

He has been an educator for 25 years, serving as principal of high schools in Buckfield, South Paris, Fort Fairfield and Bar Harbor.

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## BRYANT POND

Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Corres. — The employees of the L. M. Mann & Co.'s, factory here joined the West Paris factory workers for an outing at Bear Pond Park Saturday. A large number attended, games were played and turkey and shore dinners served. A baseball game between the West Paris and the Bryant Pond workers was won by the Bryant Pond team.

Fraternal Lodge, Knights of Pythias, held a Field Day at Littlefield's Field Sunday, with the Lodges of the 17th district as invited guests. A picnic lunch was served.

Mr and Mrs Charles Cole, South Weymouth, Mass., were the recent visitors of Mr and Mrs Howard Judkins.

Dana Dudley attended the State 4-H Club Camp at the University of Maine, Orono, last week, being one of those chosen from Oxford County.

Mr and Mrs Robert Crockett started Friday on a trip to Washington, D. C., returning home on Monday.

Mr and Mrs Robert Douglas, daughters Roberta and Jean, Bristol, Conn.; Mr and Mrs Merle Philbrick and James D. Farnum, Berlin, N. H., are staying this week at their cottage, South Pond, Greenwood.

Mr and Mrs George H. Davis, St. Petersburg, Fla., who have spent the summer at Bailey Island, are the guests of Mrs Walter Davis and Miss Harriett Stetson this week.

Miss Susan Hathaway was the week end visitor of Mr and Mrs Herman Bean, and daughter, Martha Jane, at their cottage, Lake Pennesseewassee, Norway.

## WEST GREENWOOD

Mrs. Paul W. Croteau, Corres. — Francis Scott and Albert Chas. of Rumbold called on Paul Croteau Jr. Sunday evening.

Miss Gloria Wilson is working in Shelburne, N. H.

Mr and Mrs J. F. Harrington and grandchildren of Portland are vacationing at their farm.

Mrs Edward Caplin and daughter of Attleboro are visiting B. L. Harrington and family.

Mr and Mrs Paul Croteau took Mr and Mrs Maurice Bergeron and family to Berlin, N. H., Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Joe Deegan and family were in Augusta Sunday. Mrs Rita Bartlett spent the week end in Rumbold Center.

Allen Wilson and son, Dennis, were in North Stratford, N. H., Sunday.

MAINE FAIR DATES  
Knox Agricultural Soc. Union, Aug. 25-29.

Fiscataquis Valley Fair Assoc. Foxcroft, Aug. 29.

Honesty Grange Fair, Morrill, Aug. 29.

West Washington Agric. Soc. Cherryfield, Sept. 1-3.

South Kennebec Agri. Soc. Wind- sor, Sept. 2-7.

Hancock County Agric. Soc. Blue Hill, Sept. 5-7.

North Penobscot Agric. Assoc. Springfield, Sept. 5-7.

York County Agric. Soc. Acton, Sept. 10-12.

Litchfield Farmers' Club, Litch- field, Sept. 11-12.

Maine State Fair Assoc. Lewist- on, Sept. 7-12.

Gulfport Fair Assoc. Gulfport, Sept. 12.

Oxford County Agric. Soc. Nor- way, Sept. 14-19.

Washington County Agric. Fair, Machias, Sept. 15-19.

Franklin County Agric. Soc. Farmington, Sept. 22-24.

Cachowagan Agric. Assoc. Mon- mouth, Sept. 25-26.

Readfield Grange Fair Assoc. Readfield, Sept. 26.

Cumberland Farmers' Club, West Cumberland, Sept. 28-Oct. 3.

World's Fair Assoc., Inc. North Waterford, Oct. 2-3.

Androscoggin Agric. Soc. New Gloucester, Oct. 5-10.

West Oxford Agric. Assoc. Frye- burg, Oct. 5-10.

Sagadahoc Agric. & Hort. Soc. Topsham, Oct. 13-15.

Keep Maine Green. Help pre- vent forest fires.

## MAYOR McGUP

By John Jarvis

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BROKEN STREET LIGHTS, A POOR COMMUNITY SPIRIT, AND CITY COUNCIL FULL OF RIP VAN WINKLES.



DID YOU VOTE IN THE LAST ELECTION, MR. BRUPP?



NOT ME! I DON'T WANNA GIT MIXED-UP IN POLITICS!



## EAST BETHEL

Mrs. David S. Foster, Corres. —

There will be a baked bean sup- per at the Grange Hall August 29 at 8 p. m. Everyone is invited.

Mr and Mrs Harry Maxwell and children, Barbara, Robert, Janice, and Richard, of Richmond, Mass., were visitors of Mr and Mrs David Foster this week.

Mr and Mrs Willis Bartlett and son, Clayton, of Kennebunk and Mr and Mrs Clifton Bean of Rumbold were guests of Mr and Mrs Urban Bartlett this week.

Mrs Barbara Honkala and chil- dren returned home to Salisbury, N. H., this week end.

Dick and Phyllis Blanchard of Cumberland Center and guests of theirs from New York were dinner guests of Mr and Mrs Robert Hastings last week end.

Mr and Mrs Robert Hastings visited in Harpswell Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Urban Bartlett and Mr and Mrs Ben Tyler attended the reunion of Gould classes of 1912-13 Sunday.

Henry Howe of Springfield, Mass., has bought Parker Russell's store in Hanover.

Mrs Warren Smith and children, Charles and Ronnie, were guests of Mrs Nannette Foster Monday. Miss Clara Foster returned to South Rumbold with them for a short visit.

Miss Clara Foster was home for a few days from her work in Bethel.

## NEWRY

Mrs. Leon Enman, Corres. —

Mrs Elizabeth Wight Calvin and two children, Long Island, N. Y., are visiting her father, Lon E. Wight.

Mr and Mrs Raymond Green- wood have a baby boy born at the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin, N. H., Aug. 24.

"Bobbie" Colby, Rumbold Pk., is visiting his grandparents, Mr and Mrs Frank Vall.

Miss Patricia Learned, Lovell, spent the week end at home.

## GREENWOOD CITY

Mrs. Collista Morgan, Corres. —

Mr and Mrs Leonas Holt and children visited Mr and Mrs J. R. Pearson over the week end in Amesbury, Mass.

Mr and Mrs Frank Curtis, West Paris, were callers at Clyde Morgan's on Monday evening.

Mr and Mrs Clyde Morgan were in Rangeley on Sunday.

Mrs George Emmons and son were Sunday callers at her brother's, Robert Morgan's.

Mr and Mrs Clyde Morgan were in Lewiston on Thursday. Mrs Morgan remained and came home Friday evening.

Mr and Mrs Franze Mills of Shapleigh called on relatives in town on Sunday.

## WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Ruth Gilbert, Corres. —

Rev George B. Haley was tendered a surprise party by the Maple Grove Youth Fellowship at the home of Eldred Rolfe, Thursday evening.

The evening was spent playing games. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and cran were served.

Rev Haley has been summer pastor for the West Bethel Union Church. He went Sunday to his home at Sandy Point, Maine, where he will visit his parents, before re- suming his studies at Boston Uni- versity School of Theology. A gift was presented to Mr Haley from the group.

Those present were: Norma Korhonen, Gloria Burris, Nancy Davis, Cynthia Burris, Gloria Kneeland, Charlotte Westleigh, Alma Merrill, Mary Head, Jeanne Barrin, Betty Lou Korhonen, Mike Stowell, Dwight Merrill, Paul Korhonen, David Head, Ronald Coulombe, Eldred Rolfe, Richard Coulombe and Rev Haley.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Burris, Mis- ses June, Gloria, Cynthia, Linda, Mary, and Margaret Burris were at Old Orchard Beach Sunday.

Mrs Bertha Houghton of Bryant Pond and West Somerville, Mass., has returned to Bryant Pond after visiting Mr and Mrs Roy Newton.

Fred Newton of Rumbold has been a guest for several days of Mr and Mrs Roy Newton.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Gilbert and family and Mr and Mrs George Gilbert were at Sawyer Lake Sun- day.

Mr and Mrs Charles Hancock were in Berlin, N. H., Thursday.

Mr and Mrs Clayton Kendall and Mr and Mrs Charles Hancock attended the Circle Supper at Al- bany Thursday.

Mr and Mrs Charles Byers and Mr and Mrs Charles Hancock at- tended a Grange meeting at East Bethel Friday.

Mr and Mrs Quentin Hall of Lewiston were in town Saturday afternoon.

The Order of Patrons of Hus- bandry, more commonly called the Grange, is one of the oldest or- ganizations in Maine for the ad- vancement of agricultural and rural life. Grange membership in Maine is more than 60,000.

Three pictures on "Wild Life" will be shown at the hall Friday of this week, Aug. 28.

Mrs Willard Wight of Great Works, Maine, have been spend- ing a few days at the Abbott House.

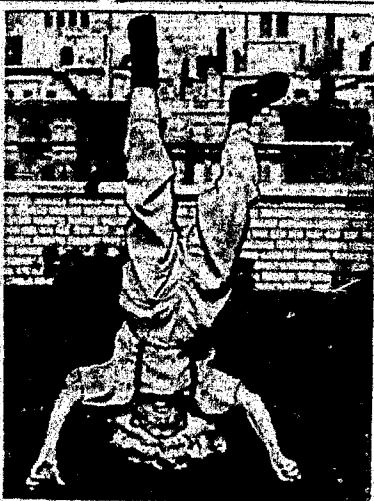
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True Temper Rods  
Penn - Ocean City - Langley  
Duncan-Briggs Reels  
H. A. BENNETT West Bethel

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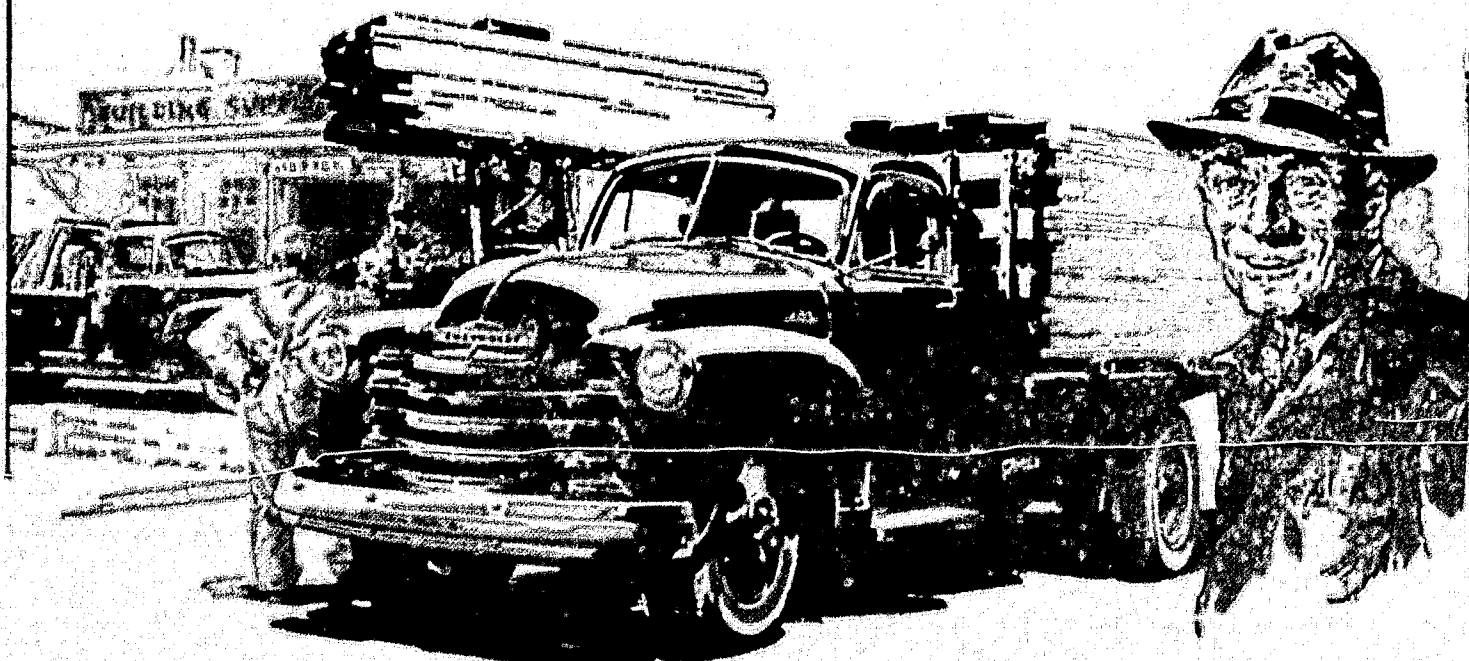
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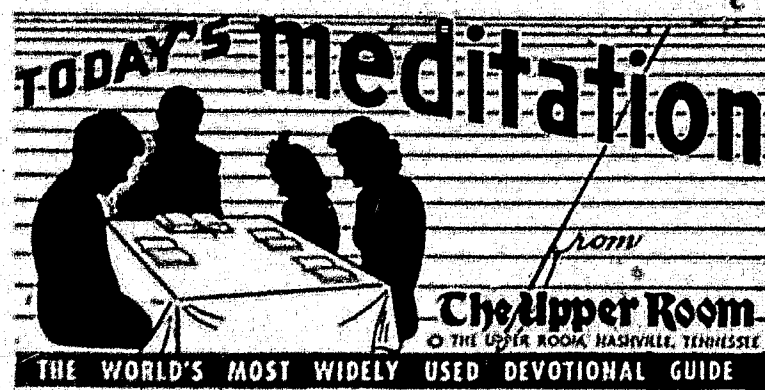
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Thursday, August 27

You ask, and receive not, because ye ask amiss. (James 4:3.) Read Matthew 20:17-22.

In some sections of our country we have a great shortage of electricity. Brazil occupies a major place in the world, as regards waterpower. The scarcity of electric energy is due, therefore, not to lack of power but to the fact that the available supply is not used.

The entire world is undergoing at present a crisis because the great supply of spiritual energy is not tapped.

On many occasions Jesus showed what is possible to one who taps God's reserve of spiritual energy. We need but remember His raising Lazarus from the tomb, mul-

tiplying the loaves, establishing Mary Magdalene and Zacchaeus in the faith.

In every instance of our asking and receiving not, we have asked amiss. In every instance when we have our requests granted, we have asked in a spirit of unselfishness and desire to do God's will.

Prayer  
O God, Thou art the fount of every blessing and of all power. Enlighten us of our real needs, that we may do that which is for our own good and for the good of those around us. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen.

Thought For The Day  
"Ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you."  
—Luke Caruso (Brazil)



The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: He leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul; He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: (From the Twenty-third Psalm.)

About one-fifth of Maine's total land area is in farms.

The five divisions of the Maine Department of Agriculture are administration, animal industry, inspection, markets, and plant industry.

## SOCIETY DIRECTORY

Mr. Abram Lodge, No. 31, L. O. O. F. Meets Friday evenings, N. G. Lynn Bennett, Secretary, Rodney Hanson.

Sunset Hebrew Lodge, No. 61. Meets first and third Monday evenings, N. G. Ellis Cole, Sec. Secretary, Hilda Donahue.

Purity Chapter, No. 102, O. E. S. Meets first Wednesday evenings, W. M. Helen Morton, Secretary, Elsie Blake.

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Rosemary Gordon Guild. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Arlene Walker. Secretary, Betty Robertson.

The Guild, Congregational Church. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Mrs. Helen Miller. Secretary, Mrs. Elizabeth Gilman.

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Men's Brotherhood, Methodist Church. Meets last Tuesday evenings. President, Robert Keniston. Secretary, Donald Christie.

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Mandi-Alton Post, No. 31, American Legion. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. Commander, Frank Harty. Adjutant, John Compans.

Mandi-Alton Unit, No. 31, American Legion Auxiliary. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. President, Adeline Dexter. Secretary, Hilda Donahue.

Abner River Grange, No. 164, East Bethel. Meets first and third Friday evenings. Master, Leslie Cosselin. Secretary, Marguerite Bartlett.

Abner River Grange, No. 164, Newry Corner. Meets every other Saturday. Master, Ernest L. Holt. Secretary, Ida Wright.

Bethel Farmers. Meets third Monday, 8 p. m. President, Francis Noyes. Secretary, Sylvia Ross.

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## THE AMERICAN WAY

### Communism In Our Churches



by DeWitt Emery

(EDITOR'S NOTE: DeWitt Emery is president of the National Small Business Men's Association.)

In testifying recently before a congressional committee, Herbert A. Philbrick, an FBI counter-spy who spent two years as a member of a communist cell in Boston, stated under oath that in his cell there were "seven hardened, steel-ed, disciplined communists posing as ministers of the gospel." Each of these ministers was at that time pastor of a church. Mr. Philbrick testified further that the communist party "plants and places ministers."

In view of the fact that there is irrefutable evidence that some communists have sneaked into our pulpits, what should we do about it? Reverend Homer V. Yinger, pastor of the Fairlawn Community Church, Akron, Ohio, preached a sermon on this. He said, "If there are communists in our churches, let the churches themselves forget them out."

Reverend Yinger went on to say, "The churches have a far greater stake than government, or any other agency or group, in seeing that communism if there be such in the churches, be rooted out. For communism negates just about everything the church stands for."

"The communist does not believe in God; the Christian bases his whole structure of belief on that central faith. The communist takes his stand on the philosophy of Karl Marx, the Christian focuses his life on the teachings of Christ. The communist believes in the violent overthrow of whatever government does not serve his purpose; the Christian strives for peaceful and creative change, holding that his primary loyalty is to God, and that he should 'render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's.'"

"The communist believes that the ideal state is ruled by the proletariat; the Christian believes that all men are created equal and that all have equal God-given rights and responsibilities under the law. The communist believes that the end justifies the means; the Christian knows that the means will determine the end. The communist believes that history is made almost exclusively by economic factors; the Christian believes that many forces shape human history, that life cannot be reduced to striving for material gain, and that the purposes of God run like a silver cord through history, sometimes obscured, but tying our human striving together in some meaning that moves toward understanding and brotherhood."

Another minister, Reverend Ross Allen Weston, Pastor of the Unitarian Church of Arlington, Va., on Sunday, May 17, 1953, also preached a sermon on this subject.



Rev. Robert H. Harper  
Standards for Christian Leaders  
Lives for August 30: 1 Timothy 4:1-16

Golden Text: 1 Timothy 4:12. Paul was writing to Timothy to give him wholesome advice on the duties and privileges of the Christian ministry. The young man had become a popular city pastor and Paul was concerned that he follow a wise course as such.

Timothy was advised to steer clear of profane and old wives' tales, that is, of the false doctrines that might be met with. The Greek athletes were interesting, but their exercise was small compared to the exercise of godliness, to which Timothy was urged. For the end of godliness is not a crown of laurel in the Olympic games, but the promise of everlasting life.

"Let no man despise thy youth." Young men in the ministry may not be handicapped by their youth if they will study and profit by Paul's counsel to Timothy regarding the duties of the Christian ministry. Timothy was exhorted not to neglect the gift that was in him, to be a worthy example to those that believed, to give heed to reading, exhortation, and teaching.

He was to give heed to his teaching. And everyone who undertakes to instruct others in the way of life should do the same. There is no need at the present for some new truth, but a faithful proclamation of the old truth that has blessed men for nearly 2,000 years. In declaring the old truth men can save both themselves and those that hear them.



STATESMEN MEET . . . The Marquess of Salisbury (left) great Britain's foreign minister, talks with secretary of state John Foster Dulles in Washington. Purpose is to strengthen Big Three relations.

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## LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Ann Swan, Corres. — Gary Melville left Friday for the State of Washington after spending a short furlough at home.

Merle Noyes is at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs Roy Noyes.

Roy Lurvey left Monday for Japan, where he is to be stationed.

Mrs Ismay Hathaway of Bryant Pond has been helping at the home of her daughter, Mrs Raymond Swan.

Mr and Mrs Walter Abbott Sr. and children, Mr and Mrs Walter Abbott, Miss Ruth Abbott of North Attleboro, Mass., Mrs Ethel Bryle and daughter, Mary Joyce Abbott, Mrs Anna Gleva of West Sumner, all were recent visitors at the home of Mr and Mrs Norwood Ford.

Sandra Martin, Corres. — Rex Martin from Harrison and Curtis Hutchinson were fishing in this vicinity over the week end.

Vance and Donald Keene have returned home after visiting at Harold Churchhill's.

Mrs Harold Churchhill has been

He said, in part:

"Asia is facing the greatest social, economic and political revolution in the world. In the face of such a social revolution, America once again sounds the trumpet of colonialism and rushes to the defense of exploitation. It seeks to calm the waters of revolution by spreading the oil of the status quo. If we do not win these people by meeting their needs, then communism surely will...."

"Another evidence of our spiritual disability is that the country is in the midst of a witch hunt, the ostensible purpose of which is a purge of the communist, but the real purpose of which is to drive liberals into a storm cellar...."

Reverend Weston went on to say, "Our President, who seems to want to ride the waves as advantageously as he can with an eye to next year's elections, seems willing to compromise with the McCarthy's of America, although deep down in his heart he must detect them, knowing that the menace of communism in this country is a hoax. The actual enemy of America at the present time is not Russia, but super-patriots eating away at the foundations of our civil liberties like termites. The McCarrons, the Jenners, the McCarrons, and the Veldes are doing more to destroy our freedom than Joe Stalin even dreamed of doing through subversive activities." Personally, I'm sure I wouldn't get along at all as a member of Reverend Weston's church. If the members of Congress he mentions are destroying freedom in our country, then it's time for me to move to an uninhabited island in the South Pacific.

No one knows how many communist ministers there are in this country. I don't believe there are very many, even though the fact that there were seven in one communist cell in Boston seems to indicate that there may be quite a few. However, even one is too many and I agree with Reverend Yinger that it's up to the churches themselves to put their houses in order. My only fear on this is that nothing will be done unless rank and file church members like you and me force the issue. I'd suggest that in the near future you ask the pastor of your church what is being done to be sure there aren't any communists among the ministers in your denomination.

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If your answer to this question is "Yes," here is a suggestion from Col Francis J McCabe, Chief, Maine State Police:

"Slow down when you're driving. All of us know that excessive speed can cost lives—but how many of us have realized that speed costs money, too, even though the speeder may be lucky enough to avoid an accident?"

Col McCabe explains it this way: "First, it takes more gasoline to drive fast and gasoline costs money. Secondly, swerving around corners or applying the brakes puts a tremendous strain on your tires."

Ill, but is improving.

Sandra Martin called at Ray Hanson's recently.

Henry Bowers was in Boston to see a baseball game Sunday and Wednesday of last week. Wednesday he went with the Bethel Legion baseball team.

Sandra Martin has been working for Miss Ethel Hobbs this week.

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Still have the same tire deal on and am practically giving away my batteries. Also have some of those car mats left that I was trying to get rid of and am selling them out at a reduced price to get rid of them.

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at any speed but far more so when you work your car's motor at higher speeds. Tires, too, cost money.

"Traveling at reasonable speeds," concluded Col McCabe, "may well save your life. Definitely, it saves you money."

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Locke Mills, one-half mile from village, black top road, 2 rooms, insulated, plenty of land, new shingles, asking \$1,400. MATTI H. KORHONEN, Real Estate Broker, South Paris, Maine. Tel. 507W. 30c

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## MISCELLANEOUS

"Yes Sir, She's My Baby,"... and that portrait of her was made by DON BROWN. 35

ATTENTION - Guns Wanted! Coats, Remingtons, Winchester, Marlins, Ballard, Peopes, rifles, shotguns, or pistols, powder flasks, bullet moulds, catalogs or books pertaining to shooting. Write DOUG LANGILLE, 8 Concord Rd., Marlboro, Mass. 42p

Leave Shoes at the Bethel Spa for repair and clothes to clean Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. EXCEL CLEANERS AND DYERS, INC., Auburn, Maine. 44c

LEAVE SHOES AT EARL DAVIS for repair. RICHARD'S SHOE SHOP, Gorham, N. H. 40c

The Pentagon in Washington, D. C., the world's largest office building, is said to contain 77 million cubic feet.

Since the early 1930's, Canada has been the world's principal producer of the precious platinum group of metals. Prior to that time Colombia and then Russia were the main sources of world supply. Recent developments in South Africa are making that country an increasingly important source.

This year is the 150th anniversary of the discovery of palladium by William Hyde Wollaston, a British scientist.

Production and distribution of motor cars furnishes more than 1,000,000 people in the United States with jobs.

Food store sales were \$39,070, 88,000 last year. The total was \$170,000,000 more than the previous year.

Fresh water shrimp run to extremes in size. While most are too small to be of any value, one species of southern Florida grows to a length of two feet.

Marshmen of the wild barrier islands of South Carolina's coast believe when they hear a big bull alligator bellowing in August or September, long after the mating season, he is predicting a hurricane roaring up from the Caribbean.

## SPORTS CORNER

## LOCKE MILLS TRIPS BETHEL IN BAZAAR CONTEST, 7-6

Locke Mills defeated Bethel 7-6 in a Pine Tree League game played on the Gould Academy Athletic Field last Saturday afternoon as a feature of the annual Bethel Bazaar.

Herb Adams started on the hill for Bethel and allowed only seven safe hits during his 6 2/3 frames on the mound. Of those seven hits, three were for extra bases; a double and a triple by Leland Dunham, and a double by Billy Mason. Adams also walked five batters and struck out 13. Howard Rolfe allowed two hits, one a triple by Ed Mason for the remainder of the game.

Herbie Dunham pitched 8 1/2 innings before being replaced by Guy Parker. Dunham retired one man in the Bethel ninth before he weakened, allowed a triple to John Brown and a home run to Bobby Croteau. With Pete Baker next up, Parker relieved him. Baker singled, Billy Lord forced Baker at second, Rolfe walked, to bring up Boyd on base. After Lord and Rolfe stole third and second respectively, Boyd popped out to Corburn in fair ground for the final out of the contest.

Bethel will not play Sunday, Aug. 30, because all Pine Tree League games scheduled for that date have been rescheduled for Sunday, Sept. 6. Bethel will entertain Andover at Thurston Field next Wednesday, Sept. 2, at 6 p. m., for their final home game of the year.

Locke Mills ab r h o a  
C E Melville 2b 4 1 1 1 1  
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G S Melville rf 2 0 0 0 0  
B Mason cf 3 2 2 0 0  
L Dunham cf 4 1 3 6 0  
Gorkum c 4 0 0 3 3  
Jordan ss 4 0 0 4 1  
H Dunham p 3 1 1 1 3  
Parker p 0 0 0 1 0  
Totals 38 7 27 15

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E. Witter, Adams, C E Melville 2 2BH: E Mason, L Dunham, York. 3BH: E Mason, L Dunham, Brown. HR: Croteau SB: E Mason, A Witter, Lord, Rolfe. Sac: Boyd. BB: H Dunham 2, Parker 1, Adams 3. SO: H Dunham 2, Adams 13. Rolfe 2. HO: H Dunham 12 in 8 1/2 innings; Parker 1 in 2; Adams 7 in 6 2/3; Rolfe 2 in 2 1/3. WgP: H Dunham. LP: Adams. Umpires: Witter and Rolfe.

Jr. Fred W. Wright, James K. Haines, and Robert T. Davis.

For the towns of Rumford, Andover, Mexico, Milton, Byron, and Roxbury: Emile J. Doucette, Dana B. Putnam, Robert M. Silver, Russell L. Wentzell, Harry Klinear, Walter L. Bailey, H. Merton Colby, Sabon P. Milligan, Leo G. Bartlett, and Stanley D. Bartlett.

For the towns of Dixfield, Canton, Peru, Hartford, Sumner: Anthony Mendes, H. Herbert Stevens Sr., Archie Holman, Marlin L. Thurston, Chester A. DeCoster, and Bradford Beedy.

Ballots for each community will be mailed to eligible producers on September 1. Envelopes containing marked ballots must be received in the county office or postmarked not later than September 10, 1953.

Should any eligible producer fail to receive a ballot, he may obtain one by contacting his county office in South Paris.

## WORTH REPEATING

"Imagine how much more effective an offer of food to the hungry East Germans would have been had the president said, 'We have on hand ready for shipment to you enough wheat to make two million loaves of golden brown bread, and the ingredients for 40 million crisp doughnuts. We can let you have 20 carloads of Idaho, or rather Maine potatoes just the right size for baking. We got a bargain on 50 tons of aromatic, full bodied coffee just arrived from Brazil, and 7,000 cases of newly canned tomatoes that were on New Jersey vines, less than a month ago. We can also let you have 300,000 pounds of succulent sirloin steaks, and about the same amount of standing rib roasts. There is a possibility we can pick up 200,000 pounds of lean bacon, and enough flour to make about 8 million good sized pancakes. We're a bit short of maple syrup but can let you have 2000 gallons.'" -Newport (N. H.) Argus-Champion

## PINE TREE LEAGUE

Standing	W	L	Pct.
Bryant Pond	19	4	.826
Locke Mills	17	6	.739
Rumford Point	14	9	.609
Bethel	13	10	.565
Dixfield	4	19	.174
Andover	2	21	.087

\*-Dropped out of league; remaining games forfeited.

Saturday, August 23

Locke Mills 7, Bethel 6.

Sunday, August 23

Rumford Point 6, Andover 4

Bryant Pond 23, Dixfield 5

Tuesday, August 25

Locke Mills 7, Rumford Point 1

Bryant Pond 7, Andover 0

Wednesday, August 26

Bethel 9, Dixfield 0. (forfeit).

Sunday, August 30

No League games; contests scheduled for this date postponed to September 6.

Wednesday, September 2

Andover at Bethel

Rumford Point at Bryant Pond

Locke Mills at Dixfield

TOP KILLING VITAL FOR IMPROVED POTATO QUALITY

Top killing is vital for improved potato quality, points out Paul N. Mosher, Extension Service crops specialist of the University of Maine.

Mosher says that killing potato tops two to three weeks before digging gives the skins a chance to toughen, allows the tops time to die and completely dry, and prevents over-size. Digging potatoes without thoroughly killing tops is bad. Tuber potatoes have tender skins that bruise and skin easily, are more likely to rot in storage, have a low eating quality, and make a poor looking pack. Rotting, bruising, spraying with top killer, or both are recommended methods of being sure tops are dead and dry before digging.

## MAINE HOMEMAERS TO ATTEND NEDC CONCLAVE IN BOSTON NEXT WEEK

Many Maine homemakers are expected to take advantage of the opportunity to attend the annual meeting of the National Home Demonstration Council at the Hotel Bradford in Boston next week, Monday through Thursday. This is the first time the session has been held in New England.

## FRANKLIN COUNTY BOY WIN STATE 4-H TRACTOR DRIVING CONTEST

David Pike, of Jay, Franklin County, won the State 4-H Tractor Driving Contest at the 21st Annual State 4-H Camp at the University of Maine last week. James Tracy, of Gardiner, was the runner-up. They will represent Maine at the 4-H tractor contest at the Eastern States Exposition next month. Vegetable grading and demonstration winners were C. Herbert Annis, of West Rockport; William Currie, of Norridgewock; and Charles Smith, of Augusta. They will take part in the annual convention of the National Junior Vegetable Growers Association in Tulsa, Oklahoma in December. William Gardner, of Allagash; Donald Wood, of Mapleton; and Gordon McKelvie, of Dexter, were the 4-H forestry winners and received axes. Some 150 4-H'ers took part in assemblies, classes in agriculture and homemaking, recreation, and good fellowship at the annual State 4-H Camp.

Members of Maine's 450 local women's Extension Association groups hold monthly meetings to learn more about foods, clothing.

## Advertisers

Copy for display advertising must be in the Citizen Office before 9:30 Wednesday forenoon to insure publication on Thursday. Classified advertising will be accepted until Thursday morning.

## REUNION OF GOULD ACADEMY

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1913, assisted by Mrs. Harriett Noyes, and her daughter, Margaret, of Bethel.

Arthur Cummings, Earl Farnham, Edith Howe and Eva Bean were chosen to select the place of reunion for next year.

Mrs. Ives was not able to stay for the dinner. She left immediately to reach Geneva Point, on Lake Winnepesaukee for a meeting at 3:30 p. m.

After expenses were deducted the sum of ten dollars remained from the collections. It will be the initial gift to the Gould Library Fund, which is an Alumni Project.

Members of the class of 1912 at dinner: Mrs. Lillian Bean Smith; Mrs. Jean Taylor Smith; Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Tyler; Mr. and Mrs. John Spinney, Albany; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Andrews, Norway; Francis Mills, Quincy, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Farnham, Bath; Mr. and Mrs. Elmon Jordan, Lisbon; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jose, Portland.

Members of the class of 1913 at the reunion dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hamlin, Otisfield; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hamlin, Norway; Mr. and Mrs. Myron Morrill; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Valentine and daughter, Mary, Pittsborough, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bartlett; Miss Eva Bean; Mrs. Edith Kimball Howe; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Fales, Rochester.

Mass.; Mrs. Ella Carey Grover and son; Arthur Cummings, Auburn; Mr. and Mrs. James Ring, Locke; Mrs. Charles Tuell; Mrs. Sylvia Swan Conroy; Mrs. Alta Cummings Moser; guests—Mrs. Dora Syvonen, Mrs. Bertha Emmons, Mrs. Grace Swan.



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However, we have no regrets in the naming of our successors: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Howe and son, Gordon Howe, from Springfield, Mass. Mr. Henry Howe, a native of Oxford County, has finally succumbed to that urge, inherent in all Maine men, to return "home". Both Mr. and Mrs. Howe and son bring to the business years of experience in the retail business. We welcome them to Hanover with the conviction that the community will be well served.

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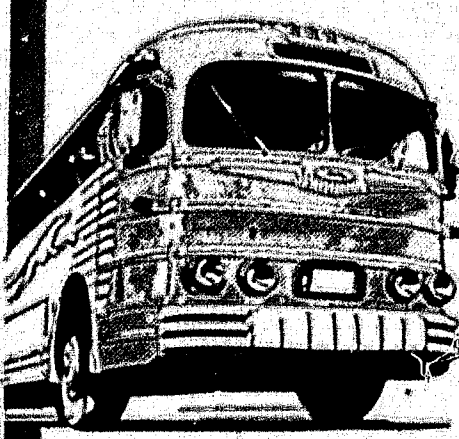
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BY HELEN HALE

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Egg beaters are not really difficult to keep clean if you remember to dip in cold water immediately after using. Simply immerse the beaters for a moment. Rotating clogs should not be allowed to become wet.

Protect the bottoms of pots and pans which are going to be used

### RECIPE OF THE WEEK

Sunshine Sauce

(Makes 1 cup)

1 cup canned cling peach slices  
1/2 cup maple-flavored syrup  
1/2 cup whipping cream  
Maple flavoring

Drain peaches, mash and press through a sieve. Combine with syrup and cream and cook over low heat until thickened, stirring frequently. Add maple flavoring if a stronger flavoring is desired. Serve warm over ice cream.

for cooking out-of-doors by rubbing them with a cake of soap. Later, when you wash them, the soap washes off readily with the soap.

If paper sticks to varnished surfaces, such as furniture, soften the paper with a small amount of olive oil and rub gently with a soft cloth until it comes off.

Like kitchen drawers to keep neat easily? Line them with a plastic fabric which makes them easy to wipe clean in just a moment.

Keep a pair of embroidery hoops handy on your stain removal shelf. They will keep material taut when you're pouring boiling water over the material on a spot, or when you're sponging a stain.

Press a bar of damp soap into the broken ends of a light bulb and turn left to remove it from a socket. Remember, though, to turn out the current first. If you're in doubt about having turned off the current, remove the fuse.

"Cutting a few million dollars from any given project is hardly likely to provide relief for the serious burdens which continue to be forced upon United States taxpayers in billion dollar amounts."—New Haven (Conn.) Register.

"It is true TVA has encouraged state and local agencies to aid in resource development, and that is why current federal expenditures in this field are so small. President Eisenhower, however, was not far wrong recently when he named the TVA as an illustration of 'creeping socialism'."—Fitchburg (Mass.) Sentinel.

### NOTICE

In keeping with the common practice in most communities our offices will be closed all day on Saturdays during June, July, and August.

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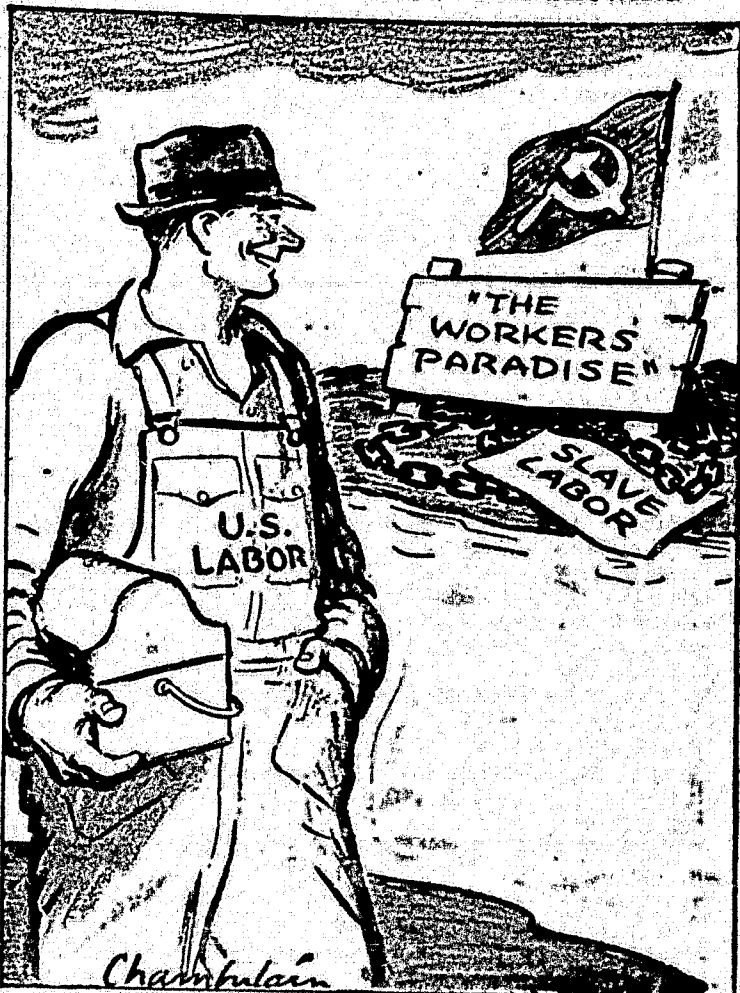
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## ACROSS the DESK

From The Webster Times, Webster, Massachusetts: The Korean Armistice has been signed. The attitude of the man in the street is a far cry from the frenzied joy of such news after World War I and World War II. Perhaps we have learned the great lesson of preparedness.

Radio and television broadcasts immediately after the signing brought into full focus the change in the thinking of the customarily unwary Americans. Announcers questioning passersby asked "How do you feel about the Armistice?" And while the answers were invariably "Thank God," many persons added sage remarks that the United States should be careful now and keep up defense measures.

It was of especial note that mothers of Korean veterans were frequently quoted as believing this. After the last war, mothers were blamed for wanting their boys home from Europe and Asia, thus bringing about demobilization too soon.

As in all wars, the permanent scars will be borne by those who have lost their loved ones, and by the thousands of Korean veterans who will spend much of their future in hospitals. For that group who must go on forever wondering about the fate of their "missing" sons and husbands, our sympathy is especially deep.

We have an Armistice. There

will be no true peace until more momentous events take place—until peoples all over the world learn to share the God-given resources of their different spheres, until they learn to live without envy of other nations, until the peoples of the earth return to Faith in God and their fellowmen.

From the Harvard Herald, Harvard, Illinois: People who play the races have nothing on the farmer. Even the most avid of them are pliers by comparison. Horses are predictable; the elements... and insects... and farm market prices are not.

Quietly, without fanfare the farmer places his bets. Day in and day out, year after year he does so every time he seeds a crop or puts in a batch of broilers. The market may be fine when they mature; or the bottom may have dropped out. The bull weevil or the army worm or blight may hit him, or it may not. There may be a flood, a drought, or a windstorm. Excessive rain may ruin his plantings. Disease may hit his hogs; excessive heat may endanger his chickens. He never knows the odds.

City folks often look upon the farmer's life as an easy one; as something to retire to some day. Yes, who else would run the risks, would do as much for as little?

## THE SPEECH

By Will Lozier

EVERY HEATCOTE, chairman of the committee, stepped down into one of my big chairs and said, "We're over the top. Everything is set for next Saturday afternoon and we want you to make the presentation."

"Not me," I said. "You're the mayor, aren't you?" Every demanded.

"That's exactly the point," I explained. "I've got business to take care of. Lots of business. You'd better get one of the other boys to make the presentation."

"Now wouldn't that be fine," Avery said sarcastically. "We've made up a big purse for Charley Bannerman, and the mayor of his own city says he hasn't got time to present it."

I felt like coming right out and telling Avery why I didn't like Charley Bannerman. When I was fourteen he had borrowed my baseball glove and never returned it. The years had passed and the loss of the glove wasn't too important any more. But there were other things. Like the time he took my girl to the senior prom after it was practically decided that she was going with me. And he hadn't bothered to apologize when I lent him my dress suit to get married in and he brought it back with a cigarette hole in the trousers.

No, I did not like Charley Bannerman, even though he was the star of the Gray Sox. They were giving him his "Day" next Saturday at the Stadium. So what? Other ball players had had their "Days" and had received everything from shaving mugs to twelve-cylinder automobiles.

I did not like any part of the set-up. I had been trying unsuccessfully to raise enough money to build an addition to the Hamilton City Hospital.

than enough to swing that new addition for the hospital. "I've got your speech written out," Avery said. "I'll read it to you." He cleared his throat.

"Ladies and Gentlemen: It is a great privilege to be here today to honor Hamilton's leading citizen. I am alluding to a man who has become nationally famous, a man who is the idol of every—"

"That's enough," I interrupted. "Just give me the speech. I'll read it with motions."

He handed me the sheet of paper. I read it to myself. Except for the difference in names, it was practically the same speech I had made a couple of dozen times.

Everyone in Hamilton was raving over Charley. They even said he was a changed man since he had got married. But I didn't care. I didn't like the guy, and so I decided to write my own speech. I'd say, "The citizens of Hamilton have raised a large sum of money for a ball player named Charley Bannerman." Then I'd hand Charley the check and sit down.

The "Day" had arrived. I sat in the stands near the Gray Sox dugout, waiting to be called onto the field to make the presentation speech.

I felt a light tap on my shoulder and turned around. It was Avery. "Have you got your fountain pen handy?" he asked.

I felt in my breast pocket. "No," I said. "I must have forgotten it."

### ALBANY HUNTS CORNER—AND VICINITY—

—Mrs. Annie Bumpus, Corres.—

Round Mountain Grange No. 102 met at their hall Monday evening, August 17, with nearly fifty people present for the support which preceded the meeting, including guests from Alder River, Bear River, and Franklin Granges.

The Worthy Lecturer presented the following program: Opening Song. By All Solo and encore, Brother Frank Bjorklund (Norway Grange). Talk. Solo and encore, Bro Roy Wardwell (Round Mt. Grange). Reading, Sister Marguerite Bartlett (Alder River Grange). Skit, "The Friendly Community Store," Members of Round Mt. Grange.

This was followed by a Sale for the benefit of the Home and Community Welfare work.

The church service was conducted Sunday morning by Everett Waldo. This is his final Sunday in the Parish.

Mrs. Hilda Ives was an overnight guest Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. John Meserve.

Urban Leighton won the quilt which was sold for the benefit of the boys' camp fund.

There was a large number of people who attended the Circle Supper and Hilda Ives Class Sale at Hunt's Corner Thursday evening. The next supper, Sept. 3, will be followed by an auction for the benefit of the Hunt's Corner Cemetery Association.

Linwood Andrews, Urban Leighton, Carlton Rugg, and Kenneth Bumpus left Sunday afternoon to spend a week at Camp Manitou, Winthrop.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. Wesgate, of Fitchburg, Mass., were recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spring.

Mrs. Betty Klauder and son, Johnnie, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Robertson.

Sunday callers at Harlan Bumpus' were: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hazelton and children, Tony and Vicki, of Bridgton, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lapham and baby son, Byron, Laurel and Lee Arsenault, Carlton Rugg, and Charlie Porter.

Several from Albany attended the Variety Show given by the Pilgrim Fellowship at Waterford, Wednesday evening.

Ontario-Upland, Calif., Daily Report: "Every taxpayer in the United States has a vested interest in an overhaul of the Federal government. For twenty years the New Deal has encouraged lavish spending at a Federal level thus indirectly furthering its Socialistic revolution. If government is ever again to be brought back to size, many money-spending bureaus and agencies must be abolished entirely while others must be consolidated."

STATE OF MAINE  
To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Rumford, in and for the County of Oxford, on the fourth Tuesday of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three, from day to day from the fourth Tuesday of said August. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bethel Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the third Tuesday of September A. D. 1953, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Allice M. S. Carter, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of John H. Carter or some other suitable person as administrator of the estate of said deceased, without bond, presented by John H. Carter, brother and heir-at-law.

Samantha Jodrey, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Henry H. Hastings as executor of the same, with bond, presented by Henry H. Hastings, the executor therein named.

Leslie M. Kimball, late of Albany, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Maude E. Kimball or some other suitable person as administrator of the estate of said deceased, without bond, presented by Clarence E. Kimball, son and heir-at-law.

Richard C. Lawrence, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for license to sell real estate situated in Bethel, presented by Barbara Farrington, Administratrix.

Robert Means Nichols, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Maude W. Nichols as executrix of the same, to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Maude W. Nichols, the executrix therein named.

Witness, Shelton C. Noyes Judge of said court at Rumford, this fourth Tuesday of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-three.

37 EARLE H. CLIFFORD, Register

"The federal government is getting out of another business that competes with private enterprise at the expense of the nation's taxpayers. It has sold the federal barge lines on the Mississippi River to a St. Louis concern for \$11,700,000 and at the same time has relieved the U. S. Treasury of the necessity for making up for an annual operating deficit."—Fall River (Mass.) Herald News.

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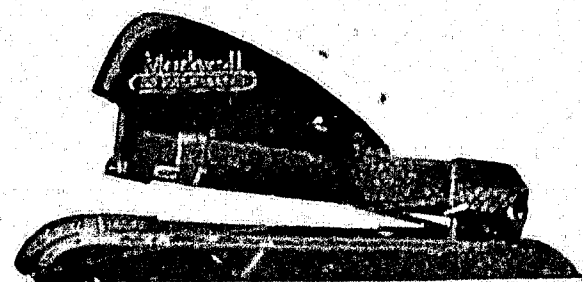
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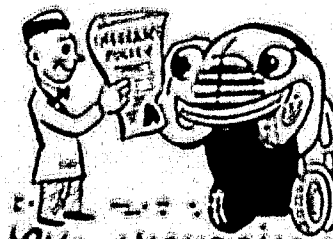
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## Years Ago

### 25 YEARS AGO

Robert Scott joined the teaching staff at Gould Academy.

Rebecca Cummings of Albany was badly injured when kicked in the head by a horse.

Warrant for special Bethel Village Corporation Meeting was posted. Art. 2: To see what action the inhabitants will take upon the following question "Shall an Act to Repeal the Act creating the Bethel Village Corporation be accepted?"

Deaths: Lawrence B. Holt.

20 YEARS AGO

By an apportionment made by the Governor and Council, Oxford County received \$22,855 for roads.

The farm buildings occupied by Ernest Buck and family in Middle Intervale were destroyed by fire.

Deaths: Wesley Adams, Mrs. Clara H. Harvey, Joseph Buzzell.

20 YEARS AGO

Gould Academy classes of '17 and '18 met in reunion at Silver Lake, Foxbury.

Many auto tenters were reported in Grafton Plantation.

Seventy-seven attended the Littlehale reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Littlehale, North Paris.

Deaths: Mrs. Mary F. Clark.

40 YEARS AGO

Prof. W. S. Wright presented a musical concert.

Charles H. Davis was awarded the contract for carrying the mail from Bethel to Upton. The route from Upton to Errol was discontinued.

Deaths: Edward A. Copen, Mrs. Augusta Walker Libby.

OXFORD COUNTY FAIR TO BE PRESENTED SEPT. 14-19

The Oxford County Fair time in a few short weeks and the officials of the 112 year old Oxford County Agricultural Society are making no effort to make this year's show one of the outstanding in the more than a century of annual events.

Six big days and six big nights are promised for the 112th exhibition to be held on the grounds between Norway and South Paris from September 14 through the 19th. All of the old time features that have made the Oxford County Fair one of the foremost in the Northeast will be presented, along with countless new attractions to continue the popularity of the County's most outstanding attractions of the year.

Joe Chittenden's Auto Daredevil will be seen in thrilling stunts Monday and Tuesday nights in front of the grandstand. A special bargain night of entertainment is promised for Tuesday night when a gala stage show will be presented in conjunction with the 25 spectacular stunts staged by the thrill show champions.

The cattle judging will be a highlight of Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday programs, with the 1953 fair feature presented on Thursday in "The Maine Jersey Cattle Club Show," the fourth in a series of annual Cattle Breeders' Association shows staged at the Oxford County Fair.



Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway of Bryant Pond, who recently were honored by a party in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary, with nearly 125 friends and relatives present. They are both active members of Franklin Grange and he is a past master, while Mrs. Hathaway has served as lecturer and chairman of the Home and Community Welfare Committee. He is a past grand of West Paris Lodge, IOOF, West Paris; past district deputy of District 7, IOOF, and has served as member of the Woodstock School for many years. —Don Brown Photo

### by Fair.

Horse Pulling Events, always a popular highlight at the fair, will again hold a prominent spot in the week long program. The Maine Sweepstakes will be held Thursday and will bring together the outstanding teams of Maine.

Fair officials have greatly enlarged the 4-H Club program for its 1953 exhibition. The annual 4-H Fat Lamb Show and sale will again highlight the annual event. The show will be held Tuesday and the Grand Champion pen will be selected during the judging, Wednesday.

This champion pen will be the first of the fifty or more Fat Lamb pens to be sold and will bring a record price it is believed.

The members of the 4-H Clubs will be the guests of the officials Friday which has been designated 4-H Day. A special program featuring the projects of the youthful farmers and homemakers will be presented as well as the annual 4-H parade of livestock. Awards will be made to the outstanding members throughout the county as a climax of the program.

The LaGazee Carnival will again provide the entertainment for the midway and many new and startling rides are guaranteed for the 1953 Fun Trail.

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In Berlin, August 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Greenwood, a son.

In Rumford, August 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Foy of Bethel, a son.

### DIED

In Bethel, Aug. 22, Mrs. Samantha Jodrey, aged 85 years.

Grange, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Future Farmers of America, and Future Homemakers of America, as well as countless displays by individuals. The Paris-Norway Garden Club will have an excellent exhibit in the flower department.

The annual Better Home Exhibition will be staged in conjunction with the Fair and will again feature many displays by local business firms.

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### BAZAAR

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well attended and 10 door prizes were awarded. These prizes were all donated by the merchants in town.

Mention should be made of the Cub Scouts that were on hand to run errands; Jane Craig for the many hours she spent in selling coke and orange for the Players; and Jerry Freeman for running his penny game all afternoon, and selling flowers after the parade (these were donated by Coburn Gardens); Carl Brown for his donation of posters and printing publicity for the affair.

A balloon and souvenir vendor did a rushing business all day and evening.

Music for the dance was furnished by Doris and Lawrence Lord, Charles Helmo, Bob Tift, Angelo Onofrio, Marko Lavorgna, with Keith Bartlett as vocalist.

A new member of our group was the Bethel Theatre which had set up a shooting gallery with free passes donated by the theatre as prizes. They proved a very good addition to the Bazaar, and very popular with the crowd until a late hour Saturday.

On Monday evening reports were handed in at the meeting held at the Legion Rooms. Much discussion was held on next year's Bazaar and it was decided to meet

Nov. 6th at 8 p. m. at the Legion Rooms to start plans for next year's affair.

The committee thanks everyone that has participated in this year's Bazaar, for every task no matter how large or small, helped to make this the grand success it was.

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